

Jewish Holiday

We close this evening at 6 p. m. and reopen tomorrow at 6 p. m.



HIGH COURTS START GRINDING AT AUSTIN

Potter County License Case Expected to Come Before Supreme Court.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 3.—All of the higher courts, the supreme court, the court of civil appeals and the court of criminal appeals opened for business Monday morning.

They will be immediately occupied with matters of importance. The supreme court may be called to pass upon whether or not Potter county, of which Amarillo is the county seat, can secure liquor licenses. The attorney general has ruled they cannot be issued, despite a recent election which voted the county wet.

The third court of civil appeals will have before it the Galveston-Houston differential case, appealed from the Travis county district court. This case has been theoretically set for submission October 5, but owing to the difficulty in preparing briefs this case may not actually be submitted before the latter part of October.

Pending in the court of criminal appeals are many cases of importance which will have to be passed upon.

The supreme court is composed of chief justice T. R. Gaines and associate justices J. B. Brown and F. A. Williams.

The court of civil appeals, third judicial district, is composed of chief justice W. M. Key and associate justices B. H. Rice and C. H. Jenkins. The right of judge Jenkins to sit has been called into question, but the attorney general has ruled that he is and he assumed his duties Monday.

The court of criminal appeals, third judicial district, is composed of chief justice W. L. Davidson and associate justices W. F. Ramsey and Felix J. McCord. Senator A. J. Harper was recently elected to succeed Justice McCord, but will not assume his duties until after next January.

LOUDERMILK SAYS CROP IS SHORT ONE

President of Farmers' Union Estimates Cotton Crop at 2,600,000 Bales.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 3.—If the estimate of W. T. Loudermilk, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, is correct, Texas will have a cotton crop not to exceed 2,600,000 bales, or the smallest in the last fifteen years. It will be more than 1,500,000 bales below the normal crop. The estimate of president Loudermilk is based on accurate reports from all sections of the state, furnished by the farmers themselves, and may be considered as authentic. In view of the very short crop, he predicts that cotton will sell for 15 cents before January 1 and advises growers to hold. There is little indication that his advice is being taken, for cotton is being rushed to Galveston faster than it is ever known. There has been shipped from that port to October 1, 550,000 bales, which is 150,000 more than was shipped at the same period last year.

RADICAL CHANGES TO BE MADE IN UNIFORMS SOON

Blanket Roll Will Disappear From Back of Regular to Permit Free Use of Arms.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 3.—Within a few months it will be impossible to tell the soldier of the United States from a European soldier unless the flag is seen floating above his head. This will be due to the radical changes to be made in the uniform within the near future. Official reports received at Fort Sam Houston are to the effect that all of the recommendations of the infantry equipment board have been accepted, except those referred to the cavalry equipment board for concurrence.

One of the radical changes will be the disappearance of the blanket roll which has always been associated with a soldier in the minds of the public, owing to its prominence in pictures. Under the new plan the entire load will be placed on the soldiers' backs, permitting him free use of the arms and hands in handling a gun. Even with the full equipment, after the change, the front view of the soldier will not show he is carrying any load. This will add greatly to the appearance of the soldiers. The soldier's blanket and other equipment will be rolled up on his back so that he can sleep without much discomfort, even in full equipment.

The present blouse will also be replaced by sweaters. The sweaters will not be of the athletic kind, but more like jerseys, buttoning up the front with bright buttons.

The long overcoat is also to give way to a short pea jacket. It is believed this will give the soldiers much more free movement in the use of their legs. The new uniforms will be in service before winter is over.

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LOCAL AVIATORS TO FLY AT SAN ANGELO

Home-Made Aeroplane Will Be Used as Feature of Event.

San Angelo, Texas, Oct. 3.—The San Angelo annual carnival and county fair opened here today and will continue through October 10. It is a program of horse racing, auto racing, a matrimonial department, a baby show, broncho busting, a good lot of carnival shows and other amusement features. The agricultural and live stock exhibits promise to be the best ever seen in this section of Texas.

A special feature will be trial flights of two aeroplanes constructed in San Angelo by two local aviators, Noah Smith and Ben G. Campbell.

A woman's building, which has been erected by the ladies of San Angelo, will contain the ladies' work department as well as a rest room for women and children. This building cost \$3500, the funds being raised entirely by the women.

The judges in the race department have hung up purses amounting to \$7000 and the best horses in Texas and Oklahoma will compete.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PUTS BAN ON DRINKING CLUBS

Charters of Many Are Likely to Be Revoked During the Month of October.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 3.—Social clubs, with drinking features, in Texas are under the ban of the attorney general of Texas and within the next thirty days will be invited to cancel the charters of nearly 1000 of such organizations. There are a large number in San Antonio, Dallas, Houston, Galveston, Waco, Fort Worth, and other of the larger cities. Nearly every town of 2500 inhabitants has at least one. The charters of the clubs are taken out presumably for social or benevolent purposes. In reality, it is claimed by the attorney general, the clubs are maintained solely in an attempt to avoid the anti-gambling law and the Sunday liquor selling law.

It is a well known fact that in some of these clubs a bar is kept, and that the members will play cards in these clubs and get drunk, being assured of being secluded from the public, who would not enter any other gambling place or even a saloon. It is also claimed that the boys from 15 years old up are permitted to join and enjoy all of the privileges. Sunday is the big day with the clubs as the saloons are closed on that day and liquor can be secured nowhere else.

In San Antonio it is claimed there are 100 such clubs and that they are for the whites, for the Mexicans and for the negroes. The membership fee is \$1 and no dues. In every one two or three poker games are being going on day and night. Liquor is sold, it is alleged, from daylight to daylight and on Sunday as well as week days.

The law makes ample provision for the forfeiture of such charters and in case the attorney general means business there will be consternation in the ranks of the men owning the charters.

JONES BUYS INTEREST OF OTIS IN THE VAUGHN BANK

William Little Makes Record in Crop Raising on His Farm Near Vaughn.

Vaughn, N. M., Oct. 3.—President Isaac Otis and cashier Grant Otis have sold their interest in the Vaughn Bank and Savings bank to H. B. Jones, president of the First National bank of Tucuman, N. M. Jones is also president of the bank recently burned at Duran. The two banks will consolidate. The Duran bank bringing its interests to Vaughn.

J. M. Pardue is making an addition to his store occupied by Earl Boet, confectioner.

William Little, on his claim a mile and a half from town, is one of the most successful farmers anywhere in the vicinity of Vaughn this year. From a few acres he has raised and planted to beans he will gather 2000 pounds and will dispose of them in the home market. His corn, milo maize and peas are fine. The maize and corn have been cut and stacked in the field. He has the whole 160 acres in cultivation. In passing it looks like a Kansas farm.

B. B. Brown, of Vaughn, N. M., has located here and will go in business. Station agent Moore, of the Santa Fe, is building a very nice home near the station.

H. H. Hargis, station agent of the Southwestern, sold a large number of tickets for the recent excursion to El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baethel have gone to Olathe, Kan., Mr. Baethel having a position with Missouri Pacific railroad.

Mrs. Maggie McDonald, who has been visiting her parents, was called home to Winslow, Ariz., on account of illness of her husband.

Dr. H. Phelps, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is recovering.

J. M. Pardue has gone to Carlsbad, N. M., to improve some of his real estate.

NOGALES MAN BREAKS FOOT IN FALL FROM HORSE

Horse Has to Be Killed; Cars Stopped for San Francisco Excursion; New Clothing Store Opens.

Nogales, Ariz., Oct. 3.—J. A. Hawkins of Nogales was injured when a horse he was riding fell, throwing him to the ground and breaking several bones in his foot as well as injuring the horse so it had to be shot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Houston have returned to their home in Texas, after a visit to Nogales.

E. E. Pope of Washington, D. C., is on business in Nogales.

Emerson Eichler, W. J. Case and H. G. Hall are in Nogales from South Dakota to invest in this portion of the country.

Mrs. W. J. B. Barnett has returned from an extended visit to the Pacific coast.

A number of S. P. coaches are accumulating here for the Fiesta de San Francisco excursions in October.

D. A. Morena and family of Santa Ana are here to put the children in school.

Dan Hagan has returned from a business trip to California.

Dave Loebe has leased the Hagan block and will open a clothing store.

CLOVIS COUNTY FAIR IS DECLARED BEST YET HELD

Free Barbecue, Speeches and Races Were Closing Features of a Successful Exposition.

Clovis, N. M., Oct. 3.—The Curry county fair and barbecue which came to a close Saturday evening was the most successful ever held here. Thousands of people were in the city and the crop exhibits proved that Curry county has raised lots of food stuff. Prizes amounting to over \$500 were paid in premiums on the first day of the fair. The most spectacular event ever witnessed in Clovis was the parade by over 600 school children through the streets, making a double file more than quarter of a mile long.

Saturday was free barbecue day with races and speeches. The fair closed with an exhibition at night by Burk's Uncle Tom's Cabin. From the exhibits at the Curry county fair was selected a large exhibit to go to the Albuquerque fair. This exhibit will be in charge of C. A. Scheuch.

SECOND METEOR PASSED MOCTEZUMA

Moctezuma, Mex., Oct. 3.—Another large meteor passed over this place at 11:25 last night. It was quite large and very bright and fell in the Las Minas mountains, northeast of Moctezuma.

Just before it struck the ground it seemed to burst, with a report like thunder.

This is the second meteor that has passed over here within a few months, and the people here are beginning to wonder if it is going to become a habit.

WERE MARRIED ONE DAY EARLIER THAN EXPECTED

Bryan-Cartwright Nuptials at Marfa Took Friends By Surprise; Heavy Rain Falls.

Marfa, Texas, Oct. 3.—The Hyman Land company has moved into the new Raetzsch building.

Dr. J. C. Midkiff has moved his office into the Palace drug store.

The Bryan-Cartwright nuptials were celebrated a day sooner than was expected by their friends. Only the families of the contracting parties and three of the bride's intimate friends were present. The young couple decided to elope everybody. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Maurer, after which the members of the party were entertained by Mrs. L. E. Cartwright, the newly wedded couple, at their home in the evening. Their auto for their ranch, about 18 miles from Marfa.

Sheriff Chastain has returned from a trip to San Antonio and other points.

Rev. A. T. Felix, accompanied by Mrs. Felix, went to Alpine with Luke Brete in his car.

Mrs. Irvine, of Alpine, is visiting in Marfa.

Rev. B. W. Allen left Monday for Aransas, N. M., to attend the Methodist conference.

All the people for miles around Marfa are feeling good over the downpour of rain last week. It means much to them. Not for months has it rained so hard in this vicinity.

RANCHES AROUND FORT DAVIS GET GOOD RAINS

Port Davis, Texas, Oct. 3.—The ranches of S. A. Tompkins, Claude Smith and the Point of Rock ranch, owned by W. T. Jones, all received fine rains, filling all the tanks on the ranches.

Mr. Jones, who has moved to Ft. Davis to live.

Mrs. McCann, who visited friends at Uvalde, Texas, has returned home.

Work on the new court house is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones have arrived to help with it.

Charley Pruett and wife were in town in their car on their way to Pecos. Miss Jettie Pruett accompanied them after they reached Pecos.

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ALTO STOCKMEN MAKING PLANS FOR THE WINTER

Alto, N. M., Oct. 3.—Oliver Jackson and Tom McDonald, have sold their stock to J. C. Johnson of Nogal, N. M., for \$15 per head.

Tom McDonald is driving his stock cattle to the San Andres mountains for the winter.

Oliver Jackson has left like Kingfield of Ruidoso, N. M., to have his stock of cattle to pasture for the winter.

Alfred Hale of Ruidoso, N. M., passed through Alto with a large herd of goats that he is taking to his brother, David, at Carlsbad, N. M., who will take care of them through the winter.

John Linnam and daughter, Miss Claude, left for the San Andres mountains, where Miss Claude will teach this winter.

Marvel Lane is cutting small grain, barley and oats, for the farmers in and around Alto.

SILVER CITY WAR VETERAN DIES ON HIS VALLEY RANCH

Silver City, N. M., Oct. 3.—A. W. Anthony, a prominent rancher on the upper Mimbres and a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home here. He had lived in this country for more than 20 years and leaves a large family. He had accumulated large real estate holdings of property.

COLONIA DUBLIN NOTES

Colonia, Dublin, Mex., Oct. 3.—William Carroll of Colonia Pacheco, who has been suffering with typhoid fever, died at his home this week.

Born in Ireland, he came to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cox, a girl.

Mrs. Lillie Romney has returned from her trip to Safford, Ariz.

Miss Catherine Romney and Meta Romney have come to Arizona for a visit and for their health.

The primary children are preparing a good program for their fair to be held next Friday. Many of the exhibits are ready in and many others are nearing completion.

Eastern capitalists have become interested in the mining property of O. P. Brown in Sonora, and he has made an expedition to visit them there. If they are pleased with the properties they will either buy or put up money for their development. Mr. Brown left Dublin Thursday to meet them and show them the mines.

Bert Ridd is moving into his newly acquired home. Mrs. Thurber has gone to Utah and left him in full possession.

Benjamin Echols was called to the bedside of his mother in Arizona. She died the day after his arrival.

Arthur Haymore of Sonora has gone to Utah to conference. He will go from there to Mexico to fill a mission.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins, who has been sick with typhoid fever for such a long time, is better. There is hope now for her recovery.

Earl Stowell and Charles Burrell, of Colonia Juarez, have gone to Utah and from there they will go to the southern states on a mission.

SOLOMONVILLE PERSONALS

Solomonville, Ariz., Oct. 3.—Johnny Diaz is in Solomonville, Ariz., visiting with relatives.

S. B. Curtis was called to Los Angeles, Cal., last week by the serious illness of a son. He was to be operated on for cancer.

E. T. Usher was in from San Jose on Friday morning.

The school attendance has been interfered with seriously by the number of children that are suffering with sore eyes.

Miss Lottie Colton spent Saturday and Sunday with her home folks at Safford, Ariz.

The Dr. block presents a nice appearance since the new coat of plaster and kalsomine.

Born to the wife of H. S. Palmer, a boy,

ROSARIO MINE IN THE PILARES DISTRICT HAS CHANGED HANDS

E. G. Braxington, Representing San Diego Parties, Purchases the Property and Will Sink Another Shaft. Harry Duey to be in Charge of the Mine Under the New Ownership.

Canea, Mex., Oct. 3.—The Rosario mine, in the Pilares district, has recently changed ownership, the property passing to San Diego parties, represented by E. G. Braxington. The mine is a silver-copper property and is tons of ore are now on the dump. This will be shipped to a smelter in a few days. The general run of the ore is 200 ounces in silver and 10 percent copper. The shaft is now down a little over 100 feet. The new owners will continue down to the 200 level and will also sink another shaft about 125 feet north of the present shaft. Harry Duey will be in charge of the property.

George Dunn is in Canea this week from his Tungsten property in the Ajo mountains.

The El Tranfo company, which is operating about eight miles from Canea, has piped water from the Sonora river, a distance of two miles, to its mill. Considerable new work is being done at present at the property. It is expected that the property early in the coming month.

President W. D. Thornton of the Greene-Canea company has been in Canea during the past week on one of his periodical visits.

Manager Dr. L. D. Ricketts of the Greene-Canea has been in Bisbee and Douglas the past week on business in connection with the Calumet & Arizona company, so it is reported.

The Greene-Canea continues operating six of the eight furnaces, and this number will be kept in operation for an indefinite time. Considerable construction work is being done at present and when this is completed the plant will be in the best of shape and without doubt is one of the best smelting plants in the southwest.

The Calumet & Arizona mine is now working full force and shipments continue to the El Paso smelter.

The Canea-Boston company has opened up about 20 feet of high grade ore in their Reeves shaft which runs high in silver. The new shaft, located about a half mile from the Reeves, is being timbered down to the 70-foot level, where drifts will be run in several directions.

Pete Lepore has discovered some rich silver-lead ore on his property near the Calumet & Arizona mine, which runs high in silver. The ore was encountered near the surface. Mr. Lepore expects to sink a shaft in a short time.

NEW STYLE OF CONVERTER AT JEROME, ARIZ., SMELTER

At the United Verde mine smelter, Jerome, Ariz., a new copper converter has been installed and has given most satisfactory results. This converter bears the name of its inventor, Kundsens, a Norwegian, and has received its first test in this country at Jerome. The hard and highly mineralized ores of Jerome are particularly adapted to the action of the Kundsens converter, which is operated with less fuel and yet produces a greater heat and a higher grade of matte than the usual machine.

EL PASO THEATER OPENS OCT. 4

Grand concert El Paso Theater October 4; benefit Human Society. Tickets 50 and 75 cents. Usual place.

Bendall & Cook are continuing their operations with marked success on the Tomlinson and Miles denunciations.

Considerable copper ore has been encountered in their No. 2 shaft. Miller, Saunders & Walsh have denounced 18 tentencias on the south side of the Marquilia mountains. They have named it the "M. S. & W." The grand adjoins the Canea Northern on the south. Walsh is at present engaged in sinking a shaft on the vein which has been found that runs 16 percent copper and carries 16 ounces in silver. The vein is about three feet wide.

THE SANTA FE CONSOLIDATED HAS ENTERED A FULL BREAST OF ORE IN ITS MONTOYO SHAFT IN THE EAST DRIFT.

The drift has been entirely in ore for a distance of 12 feet. The ore is silver, lead and zinc, the former running about 35 ounces to the ton.

C. I. McReynolds has purchased the interests of Chas. Weiss in the Santa Fe company.

NO TIME IN ORE AROUND THE PARADISE DISTRICT

The ore in the California district around Paradise, in eastern Coliase county, Ariz., according to A. Call, who is in a formation similar to that of Morenci, Ariz. There is no lime, the copper, silver and lead being in fissure veins in the porphyry. Though this has been prospected for years, only recently has outside capital invaded it.

The most extensive present operations are on a claim of the Bisbee-Sonora company, owner of a group adjoining Thomas Cole's and associates' Manhattan mine. The company is now driving a tunnel in the mountain with a well defined ledge showing on the surface. This tunnel is designed to be the main haulage level, dipping at a depth of 900 feet the veins already prospected by surface workings. The tunnel will be 1200 feet long, having been protected half this distance, and already has cut one good ore body. The tunnel is eight feet wide and nine feet high, suitable for double trucks. An air compressor plant will be installed.

In the same district Texas capital has been interested in the Whitcomb Mining and Milling company's claims, on which 1000 feet of development work has been done. In the west drift the work follows a fissure vein seven feet wide, the ore running five per cent copper and 40 percent sulphur. Another drift shows high grade copper and lead ore. The Texas company owns 35 claims. The future plans are for a 50-ton concentrator.

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